Groups		Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
			October 1948	Novembr 1948
1 Food	...	62·5	344·1	353·7
2 Fuel and Lighting	...	9·4	214·9	216·9
3 Clothing	...	8·0	210·3	226·1
4 House Rent	...	3·3	100·0	100·0
5 Miscellaneous	...	16·8	288·1	281·0
Total	...	100·0	...	...
Cost of Living Index Number	...	...	303·1	310·1

8046 B. S. PUTTASWAMY, *Commr. of Labour.*

BANGALORE DISTRICT. (RURAL)

(RURAL DEVELOPMENT SECTION.)

Notification dated 11th December 1948.

No. M7-P. R. 543—48-49. Whereas it is reported that there is prevelance of Plague in Anugondanahally Village, Hosakote Taluk and that there is the fear of spread of the disease, I, Sri B. S. Nanjunde Gowda, B.Sc., LL.B., In-charge Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, (Rural), by virtue of powers vested in me under Section 77 of the Mysore Public Health Act, 1944, do hereby declare the said Anugondanahally as an area infected with Plague and empower the District Health Officer, Bangalore District, under Section 77 of the above Act, to take necessary action to prevent the spread of the epidemic.

Any person obstructing the measures adopted by the said Health Officer or Officers subordinate to him in the act of bringing the epidemic under control will be punished under the Mysore Public Health Act 1944.

7249 B. S. N. GOWDA, *Dy. Commr. I/c.*

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CIVIL SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 19th December 1948.

No. T. 2266.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me under sub-clause (c) of clause 31 of the Mysore Cotton Textiles (Control), Order, 1948, I hereby authorise the following officers for the purpose of the above said clause.

(1) The Deputy Commissioners of Districts
(2) The Assistant Controllers of Civil Supplies
(3) The Sub Division Officers
(4) The Superintendents of Police
(5) The Amildars of Taluks
(6) The Enforcement Officers
(7) The Inspectors of Civil Supplies.
(8) The Assistant Inspectors of Civil Supplies.

8013 M. K. APPAJAPPA,
Controller of Civil Supplies.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF FOOD SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 21st December 1948.

No. A1. C. 2607—47-48. It is hereby notified for the information of those concerned that a quota of 4,000 tons of Bengalgram has been allocated to Mysore State from East Punjab States Union under the Basic plan 1948-49. The East Punjab States Union Government have intimated that the proportion of supply will be 75 per cent gram, 17 per cent gramdhall and 8 per cent gram flour.

2. It is proposed to import this quota also on Government account and make it over to the selected merchants at railheads in the Mysore State for distribution and sale in the several areas.

3. The quota is distributed amongst the several areas of the State as detailed below and despatches will be made by a representative of this Government who will be deputed to East Punjab States.

		Tons
1.	Bangalore District (Urban) for City consumption ...	900
2.	Bangalore District (Rural) ...	250
3.	Chief Rationing Officer, Civil Station	450
4.	Deputy Commissioner, Chikmagalur	350
5.	Do Shimoga ...	350
6.	Do Kolar ...	350
7.	Do Chitaldrug ...	350
8.	Do Mysore ...	250
9.	Do Mandya ...	250
10.	Do Hassan ...	250
11.	Do Tumkur ...	250
	Total ...	4,000

4. The other conditions regarding delivery of the consignments to merchants, furnishing of cash security, obtaining stamped agreement, release of stocks for consumption to the public are similar to those prescribed in this Office Notification No. A1. C. 2494—48-49, dated 26th November 1948, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 2nd December 1948.

5. Intending individuals may apply to the respective Deputy Commissioners/Chief Rationing Officer, Civil Station, on or before the 5th of January 1949, furnishing the details called for in the Notification cited above.

S. ABDUL KHADER,
Addl. Director of Food Supplies.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR, GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 1st December 1948.

Notification inviting Applications from Book Sellers for Enrolment as "Recognised" Dealers in Government Publications.

Applications in the following form (printed or typewritten.) are invited from Book Sellers of the State for enrolling themselves as Approved Dealers in Official Publications, of the Education Department and such other school books as are stocked for sale at the Government Central Book Depot, for a period of one year from 1st March 1949. Applications should be forwarded through and recommended by the District Educational Officer of the Dstrict, where the applicant intends to carry on business so as to reach the Director, Government Central Book Depot, Bangalore, by 1st February 1949.

Applicants should, in the event of their being enrolled as such, conform themselves to the following conditions and abide by any rules that may be framed by the Director from time to time in this behalf. Any instance of violation of these would involve deletion of the name of such firm from the approved list without assigning any reason therefor.

Firms or persons who are now recognised book sellers of the Government Central Book Depot should also apply afresh through the District Educational Officers and observe all the formalities specified in this behalf failing which they cease to be dealers in Official and Educational Publications.

Intending applicants should note that.

1. No correspondence, of whatever nature, by them with the Government Central Book Depot shall be on "Service unpaid" Such correspondence "On service unpaid" will not only be taken into account but also liable to be penalised.

2. Books indented for will be sent by goods trains to the nearest Railway Station from the indentor's place of business, the packing, forwarding and transit charges being met by the Director, Government Central Book Depot. Books indented for and of the value of less than Rs. 40 will not be complied with unless specifically intimated that they may be booked by Railway Parcel "To pay" the packing charges being met by the Director as usual. Books required by the approved book sellers to be sent by Railway Parcel or by post will be despatched at the indentor's cost.

3. Indents for books will be complied with in the order in which they are received and the Depot will not be responsible for any loss or inconvenience caused by non-receipt of books in time.

4. Books will be sold only on "Non-returnable" basis.

5. Indents for books should be accompanied each time by a Treasury Receipt for the value. Remittances to the Treasuries should be made to the head "XI . Stationery and Printing, 4, Sale Proceeds of Educational Books and Maps," and remittances to heads other than this will not be deemed as proper payment for books indented.

6. Indents received on and after the 26th of the month will be attended to on or after the first of the succeeding month.

7. List of publications stocked in the Depot will be published and supplied to recognised dealers free on requisition. Arrival of new books will be notified from time to time in the *Mysore Gazette*.

8. Facilities must be afforded by book sellers approved as Recognised Book Sellers of the Depot to the inspecting officers of the Education Department for inspecting their shops.

9. All book sellers approved as Recognised Book Sellers of the Depot will be allowed a commission of 15 per cent on the value of book purchased at a time irrespective of the value of purchases made and notwithstanding whether they are official publications or school books and maps.

10. They should carry on business at all reasonable hours of the day and notify at a conspicuous place the prices of all the books available with them for sale and sell them only at prices affixed on the covers or those fixed by the Director.

11. Recognised book sellers of the Depot carrying on business at places where there is no Railway Communication should arrange to take delivery of the books at the Government Central Book Depot, three days after the receipt of the indent at the Depot.

12. Only two indents per Recognised Book Sellers per week will be complied with and no indent will be kept pending in anticipation of books not in stock at the time of the indent is taken up for compliance.

13. The Government Central Book Depot is deemed to have absolved itself from all responsibility for the consignment of books as soon as they are delivered to the Railway authorities and the concerned Railway Receipt is posted to the correct address of the party as furnished on the indent.

14. All those who have been in the book selling trade at least a year prior to the date of this notification are eligible to apply for enrolment as Recognised Book Sellers of the Government Central Book Depot.

7025 B. KRISHNASWAMY CHETTY, *Director*.

FORM OF APPLICATION,

To

The Director,
Government Central Book Depot,
Bangalore.

Through
THE DISTRICT EDUCATIONAL OFFICER,
..... DISTRICT,

Sir,

I tender herewith an application for enrolment as a "Recognised" Book Seller of the Government Central Book Depot, for the retail sale of departmental publications and books. I have read the rules relating to the above and am willing to abide by them.

Place.....
Date..... *Signature*.....

1. Name of applicant (Individual Firm, Society or Company).
2. Town and street in which the Book Seller is established.
3. Hours of business ...
4. Other line or lines of business undertaken by the applicant or his occupation.
5. Name of partner, Manager, Directors or Secretary in the case of a company.
6. Name and designation of the person authorised to act on behalf of or in the absence of the applicant.
7. Applicant's and Proprietor's specimen signatures. (Three copies should be given on a separate sheet of paper).
8. Public or semi-public office, if any, which the applicant or any of the partners may be holding.
9. If the applicant is already a Recognised Book Seller of the Government Central Book Depot, he should state the number of years for which he has acted as such and state if he is willing to continue it this year also.
10. Certificate or Certificates from the local authorities as to his or their *bona fides*.
11. How long has the applicant been in the book-selling trade.
12. The District Educational Officer's opinion with dates of receipt and despatch. If there be one or more Recognised Book Sellers of the Depot already working at the place, the reason for recommending additional agency, if any, at the same locality may be stated.
13. Orders of the Director, Government Central Book Depot, Bangalore.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF FOOD SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 10th December 1948.

No. D1.—2779—48-49. In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by sub-clause (1) of Clause 6 of the Vegetable Oil Products Control Order, 1948, issued in Government Notification No. S. O. 4784—C. 53-47-13, dated 3rd January 1948 and in supersession of this Office Notification No. D1.—6098, 47-38, dated 2nd—3rd April 1948, I hereby fix as follows, until further orders, the maximum prices at which Vegetable Oil Products may be sold in Mysore State with effect from this date.

I.

Locality of State	Maximum price per lb. net of V. O. P.		
	When sold by producer or producer's distributing agents in large packs	When sold by any other person	
		In large packs	Loose in small quantities
Mysore State	Rs. a. p. 0 14 6	Rs. a. p. 0 15 3	Rs. a. p. 1 0 0

II.

Description	Maximum price per pack of V. O. P. when sold in small packs	
Packs containing	*Whole-sale*	*Retail*
1. 10 Lbs ...	Rs. a. p. 10 2 6	Rs. a. p. 10 8 6
2. 9 ,, ...	9 2 3	9 7 3
3. 5 ,, ...	5 3 9	5 7 0
4. 3 ,, ...	3 3 9	3 5 9
5. 2 ,, ...	2 2 6	2 4 0
6. 1 lb. ...	1 1 6	1 2 3

Note:—(1) Large packs are packs (in producer's original sealed containers) containing *not less than 35 lbs.* net of product.

(2) The maximum prices specified above under I and II are inclusive of freight but exclusive of octroi, terminal tax and similar other local taxes and also of sales tax.

(3) When any such tax is paid, whether by the manufacturer, his distributing agent, a wholesaler or a retailer the maximum prices as fixed above in respect of any transaction may be increased by an amount equal to the total of the taxes so paid at or before that transaction and may, after the increase be rounded off to the nearest pice.

S. ABDUL KHADER,
Addl. Director of Food Supplies and V. O. P. Controller.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, MYSORE GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 27th November 1945.

It is hereby notified for the information of the Policyholders of the Mysore Government Insurance Department, that those who have been sending the premium by Money Order to the District Treasury Officer, Bangalore, or Treasury Officer, State Huzur Treasury, Bangalore, should, in future, send the Money Order to the Secretary, Mysore Government Insurance Department, noting clearly policy number, name and address.

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Circular No. 212, dated 16th December 1948.

To

The Agents and Policy-holders in the Public Branch.

The following amendments to Rule 6 and the deletion of note 1 and first sentence of note 2 of Rule 7 of the Public Branch is published for the information of the Agents and Policy-holders in the Public Branch.